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Remarks

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application, and each was rejected under the

judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting. Specifically, the Examiner

stated that claims 1-20 were unpatentable over claims 1-16 of U.S. Patent No. 6,763,298

(Boggs et al.).

Filed with this amendment is a Terminal Disclaimer in compliance with 37

C.F.R. § 1.321(c). Because each of the claim rejections is based on obviousness-type double

patenting, it is believed that the filing of the Terminal Disclaimer overcomes each of the claim

rejections. Accordingly, allowance of each of the pending claims is requested.

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